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DECATUR HERALD.

THE INDICATIONS.

Washington, May 12—Illinois—
Showers and cooler Friday; Saturday
showers; variable winds becoming
fresh northwest.

NO. 24

TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, FRIDAY, MAY 13, 1904.

IT LOOKS LIKE LOWDEN NOW FIRST DAY DEVOID OF RESULTS

Credentialed Committee Unable to Prepare
Report and Convention Adjourn-
ed at 9:25

CANNON AS TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN

Yates Men Wanted to Remain in Session and Reluctantly Con-
sented to Adjourn

THE NOMINATIONS WILL COME SOMETIME TODAY

New State Central Committee Named—Warner Still a Possibil-
ity—Machine May be Broken

May 12—No such
thing as a state con-
vention which assembled in the
evening at 7 o'clock for the over-
sight of the republican state
convention. Friday, 10,000 people
gathered here.

The state central committee was still
in session and the people enjoyed them-
selves in the evening. The candidates
were being discussed and the hall
was filled with the sound of voices.

Yates men were with the Mor-
gan men and for a time was the
scene of enthusiasm.

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Events of the First Day.

Convention met at noon and was called to order by Fred H. Rowe, chairman of the state central committee.

Speaker J. G. Cannon made temporary chairman and delivered an address, creating great enthusiasm.

Adjourned until 5 o'clock to give committee on credentials a chance to report.

Met again at 7:30 and waited until 9:30 for the committee report.

Informing at 9:30 that the committee could not report before midnight.

Yates men were intent on keeping the convention in session and forcing the issue and reluctantly consented to adjournment.

Convention then adjourned until 10 o'clock Friday morning.

The Yates men seemed strong but the fact is recognized by all that Lowden is the most likely candidate and that the break will likely be to him.

A nomination is confidently expected soon after the convention meets Friday.

Speaker Cannon, having spoken as temporary chairman, will be ready as permanent chairman to proceed immediately to the balloting for governor after the convention is permanently organized.

Crowd in Springfield is the greatest ever known at a state convention.

Proposed endorsement of Senator Fairbanks withdrawn in view of Sherman's possible candidacy for vice presidency.

Sherman representative in the credential committee is voting with the Yates-Lowden forces.

The Yates-Lowden combination is admitted to be merely on the question of contests.

Lowden men wanted to adjourn the convention until today and succeeded, fearing that a prolonged night session might result in a stampede to Yates.

Great demonstration in favor of each candidate at the night session.

Members of the new state central committee are selected.

Judge W. C. Johns of this city made a member of the committee on credentials.

Hon. C. G. Eckhardt of Tuscola made member of the state committee from the Nineteenth district.

Warner's chance is not entirely obscured and a break may take the delegates to him as second choice, Macon county being reported as not unfavorable to him in this contingency.

First district—Judge Elbridge Haney, Chicago.

Second—E. C. Lindley, 6th ward, Chicago.

Third—Roy O. West, Chicago.

Fourth—David E. Shanahan, Chicago.

Fifth—Wm. A. Cook, Chicago; (De-
neon) Michael G. Walsh, Chicago.

Sixth—Congressman Wm. Lowmyer, Chicago.

Seventh—Nels Juhl, Chicago.

Eighth—Dennis Murphy, 18th ward, Chicago.

Ninth—John M. Harlan, Chicago.

Tenth—Ben M. Smith, 23rd ward, Chicago.

Eleventh—R. J. Barr, Joliet, Will county.

Twelfth—F. E. Sterling, Rockford, Winnebago county.

Thirteenth—D. W. Baxter, Rochelle, Ogle county.

Fourteenth—C. V. Chandler, Macomb, McDonough county.

Fifteenth—T. J. Clark, Quincy, Adams county.

Sixteenth—J. D. Putnam, Peoria, Peoria county.

Seventeenth—R. J. Bradford, Pontiac, Livingston county.

Eighteenth—Charles Robinson, Champaign, Champaign county.

Nineteenth—W. C. Johns, Decatur, Macon county.

Twentieth—Andrew Russell, Jacksonville, Morgan county.

Twenty-first—(Yates) George L. Tipton, Girard, Macoupin county; (Hamlin) W. M. Province, Taylorville, Christian county.

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